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In re Application of:

Tonkovich et al.

Application No. 10/076,915

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For: METHODS OF MAKING

DEVICES BY STACKING

SHEETS AND PROCESSES OF

CONDUCTING UNIT

OPERATIONS USING SUCH

DEVICES

Art Unit: 1764

Examiner: Jennifer A. Leung

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §§ 1.56 and 1.97-1.99, the documents listed on the attached Form(s) PTO-1449 are being brought to the attention of the Examiner in charge of the above-identified application. In view of the following statement, it is believed that no fee is required for consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement.

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If the Examiner has any questions or wishes to discuss this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned representative at the number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,

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